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SUBJECT: SC PASSES RWANDA STATEMENT AND RESOLUTION

REF: A) USUN 5267, B) STATE 319374

1. (U) SUMMARY: THE SECURITY COUNCIL ADOPTED UNANIMOUSLY THE TEXT OF RESOLUTION 965 EXTENDING UNAMIR'S MANDATE UNTIL 9 JUNE 1995, WITH A SLIGHT CHANGE TO THE TEXT OF PARA 9 AS REPORTED REF A. THE COUNCIL ALSO ISSUED A STATEMENT IN RESPONSE TO THE SYG'S REPORT ON SECURITY IN THE RWANDANESE REFUGEE CAMPS WITH TWO SLIGHT CHANGES. END SUMMARY.

2. (CQ) CHANGE TO RESOLUTION: OP PARA 9: "REQUESTS THE SECRETARY-GENERAL, FOLLOWING THE USUAL CONSULTATIONS, TO INFORM THE COUNCIL SHOULD HE CONSIDER THAT THE ADDITIONAL TASKS IN PARAGRAPH 3 REQUIRE CONSIDERATION OF AN ADJUSTMENT IN THE LOGISTIC AND PERSONNEL REQUIREMENTS OF UNAMIR;". THIS CHANGE WAS MADE AT THE REQUEST OF THE RWANDAN AMBASSADOR, WHO WANTED TO ENSURE THAT HIS GOVERNMENT WOULD HAVE AMPLE OPPORTUNITY TO ARGUE AGAINST ANY FURTHER EXPANSION OF UNAMIR.

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3. (U) CHANGES TO STATEMENT: THIRD SENTENCE OF THIRD PARA: ADD THE WORD "MAY" BETWEEN "WHOM" AND "HAVE". FOURTH SENTENCE OF FIFTH PARA: ADD THE PHRASE "AS APPROPRIATE" BETWEEN "EXPLORE" AND "ALL".

4. (U) TEXT OF AMB. ALBRIGHT'S EOV ON THE UNAMIR RESOLUTION FOLLOWS:

BEGIN TEXT:

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-THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT IS PLEASED TO HAVE BEEN ABLE TO SUPPORT THE RESOLUTION JUST ADOPTED EXTENDING THE MANDATE OF UNAMIR. UNAMIR HAS DONE AN EXCEPTIONAL JOB IN DIFFICULT AND RAPIDLY CHANGING CIRCUMSTANCES. WE PARTICULARLY WISH TO THANK ALL THE TROOP CONTRIBUTING COUNTRIES WHICH HAVE RESPONDED FAVORABLY TO THE SECRETARY GENERAL'S REQUESTS TO PARTICIPATE IN UNAMIR.

-UNAMIR, THE FORCE COMMANDER AND THE SECRETARY GENERAL'S SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE HAVE RESPONDED ADMIRABLY TO THE EVOLVING SITUATION IN RWANDA. BUT BECAUSE THE SITUATION IN RWANDA HAS CHANGED SINCE THE COUNCIL LAST EXTENDED UNAMIR'S MANDATE, IT WAS NECESSARY IN THE CURRENT RESOLUTION TO CLARIFY THAT MANDATE. WE ARE WELL AWARE THAT UNAMIR HAS DONE AN EXEMPLARY JOB OF PROVIDING PROTECTION FOR ALL MANNER OF INTERNATIONAL CIVILIAN PERSONNEL, WHETHER INVOLVED IN HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE, INVESTIGATION OF ALLEGATIONS OF GENOCIDE, MONITORING OF HUMAN RIGHTS, OR OTHER NECESSARY PURSUITS. HOWEVER, THE MANDATE WAS ORIGINALLY DESIGNED BEFORE THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL FOR RWANDA AND BEFORE

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HUMAN RIGHTS MONITORS WERE DEPLOYED BY THE HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR HUMAN RIGHTS. THE RENEWED MANDATE THEREFORE MAKES IT CLEAR THAT HUMAN RIGHTS MONITORS AND TRIBUNAL PERSONNEL ARE ENTITLED TO PROTECTION. WE DO NOT BELIEVE THAT ADDITIONAL UNAMIR PERSONNEL WILL BE REQUIRED TO CARRY OUT THESE PROTECTION FUNCTIONS, WHICH UNAMIR HAS ALREADY BEGUN TO PERFORM.

-THE U.S. GOVERNMENT IS MAKING PREPARATIONS TO DISPATCH INVESTIGATORS, PROSECUTORS AND SUPPORT PERSONNEL TO WORK WITH THE INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL. IT IS IMPORTANT THAT UNAMIR PROVIDE SECURITY FOR ALL THE TRIBUNAL'S PERSONNEL, AS WELL AS FOR THEIR PREMISES, TO ENSURE THAT THEY CAN CARRY OUT THEIR WORK EFFECTIVELY AND FREE FROM FEAR FOR THEIR PERSONAL SAFETY. WE ARE SURE THAT UNAMIR WILL DESIGN SECURITY ARRANGEMENTS IN CLOSE CONSULTATION WITH THE CHIEF PROSECUTOR, THE HEAD OF THE HUMAN RIGHTS OFFICERS AND THE GOVERNMENT OF RWANDA.

-THE CIVILIAN POLICE COMPONENT OF UNAMIR HAS BEEN

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FUNCTIONING FOR SOME TIME. THE COUNCIL ENCOURAGED UNAMIR, IN THE PRESIDENTIAL STATEMENT OF 14 OCTOBER, TO CONTINUE THE ACTIVITIES OF ITS CIVILIAN POLICE OBSERVERS. WE REITERATE THAT SUPPORT IN THE CURRENT RESOLUTION.

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-WE BELIEVE THAT UNAMIR CAN CARRY OUT THESE  
RESPONSIBILITIES WITHIN EXISTING RESOURCES FOR THE  
MOMENT. IF THE SECRETARY-GENERAL DETERMINES THAT  
ADDITIONAL RESOURCES MIGHT BE NECESSARY AT SOME TIME IN  
THE FUTURE, HE SHOULD INFORM THE COUNCIL. WE CAN  
CONSIDER AT THAT TIME WHETHER TO AUTHORIZE ADDITIONAL  
RESOURCES.

-IN CLOSING, LET ME THANK THE SECRETARY-GENERAL, THE  
SECRETARIAT STAFF HERE IN NEW YORK, AND THE PERSONNEL  
OUT IN THE FIELD FOR THEIR CLOSE MONITORING AND ANALYSIS  
OF THE VARIOUS ASPECTS OF THE RWANDA CRISIS, AS  
REFLECTED IN THE TWO LONG AND COMPLICATED REPORTS WHICH  
THEY PRODUCED IN THE SPACE OF LESS THAN ONE WEEK. WE  
APPRECIATE THEIR EFFORTS.

6. MINIMIZE CONSIDERED.

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